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Assigned to: Appropriations

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A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Higher Education - Tuition Waiver - Faculty and Employees**

3 FOR the purpose of requiring a public senior higher education institution to waive  
4 tuition for certain persons who attend the institution; repealing a provision  
5 authorizing a governing board of an institution of higher education to develop a  
6 policy for the waiver of tuition for certain persons; making a stylistic change;  
7 and generally relating to the waiver of tuition for certain persons who attend  
8 certain institutions of higher education.

9 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
10 Article - Education  
11 Section 15-106  
12 Annotated Code of Maryland  
13 (1999 Replacement Volume and 2000 Supplement)

14 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF  
15 MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

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**Article - Education**

2 15-106.

3 (A) EACH PUBLIC SENIOR HIGHER EDUCATION INSTITUTION IN THE STATE  
4 SHALL WAIVE TUITION FOR A PERSON WHO ATTENDS THE PUBLIC SENIOR HIGHER  
5 EDUCATION INSTITUTION AND WHO IS:

6 (1) A FACULTY MEMBER OR AN EMPLOYEE OF ANY PUBLIC SENIOR  
7 HIGHER EDUCATION INSTITUTION IN THE STATE; OR

8 (2) A CHILD OF A FACULTY MEMBER OR EMPLOYEE OF ANY PUBLIC  
9 SENIOR HIGHER EDUCATION INSTITUTION IN THE STATE.

10 (B) (1) Each governing board may develop a policy for the waiver of [tuition  
11 and] room and board for faculty and employees of public institutions of higher  
12 education and their children who attend public institutions of higher education in  
13 [this] THE State.

14 (2) THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF BALTIMORE CITY COMMUNITY  
15 COLLEGE MAY DEVELOP A POLICY FOR THE WAIVER OF TUITION FOR FACULTY AND  
16 EMPLOYEES OF PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION AND THEIR  
17 CHILDREN WHO ATTEND PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION IN THE  
18 STATE.

19 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect  
20 June 1, 2001.